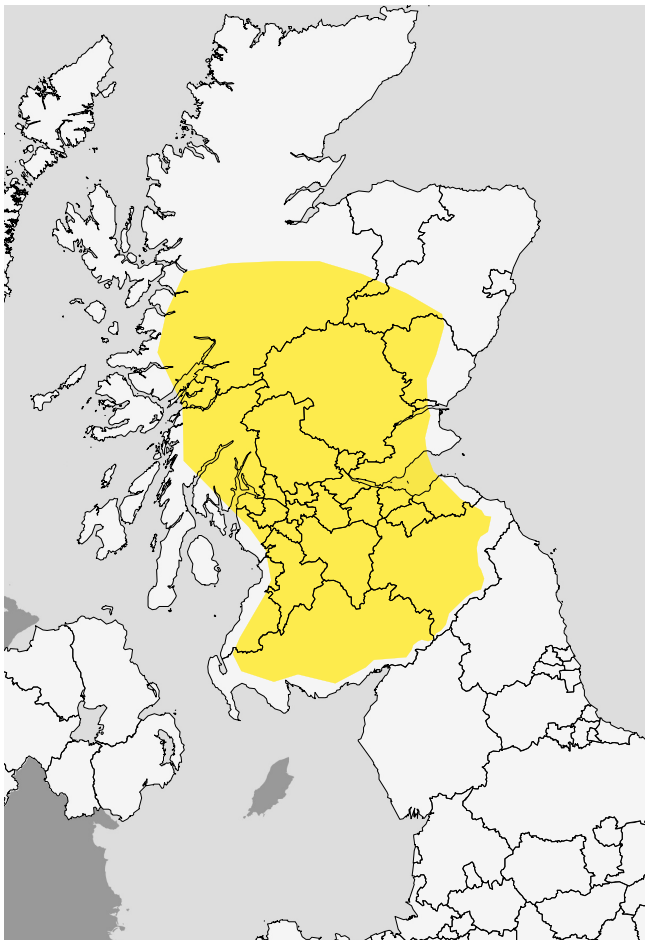
Yellow warning
Snow & Ice

Between
06:00 Fri 16 Dec 2022 and
21:00 Fri 16 Dec 2022



Outbreaks of snow and icy surfaces may bring travel disruption.

What to expect

- There is a chance that bus and train services may be delayed or cancelled, with some road closures and longer journey times, especially during the morning peak travel period
- There is a fair chance of some travel delays on roads, plus a smaller chance of stranded vehicles and passengers in some areas, particularly over high ground during the morning
- There is a small chance that power cuts will occur and other services, such as mobile phone coverage, may be affected
- A chance that untreated pavements and cycle paths are icy , increasing the likelihood of accidents and injuries

Further details

Outbreaks of sleet and snow will spread across much of southern, central and western Scotland through Friday. There remains some uncertainty in which areas will be worst affected, but a few places seem likely to see snow persist through the morning, perhaps even lasting into the afternoon, before increasingly turning to rain at low levels later.

While the larger snow accumulations are expected to occur over higher ground above 200 metres (where 10-20 cm is possible), some accumulations are also likely to low levels .

Very low likelihood of medium impacts

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Further Details (continued)

Through the Central Lowlands, 1-3 cm of snow is most likely at low levels, but possibly up to 5-10 cm in a few locations during Friday morning, perhaps falling in only two or three hours.

Additionally, in some areas sleet or rain may fall onto frozen surfaces, leading to icy conditions.

Reason for update

There is now a small chance of higher snow accumulations occurring through the Central Belt to lower levels during Friday morning, hence the impact level increased, albeit at a very low likelihood.

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All regions & authorities affected

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Angus Clackmannanshire Dundee Falkirk Fife Perth and Kinross Stirling

Grampian

Aberdeenshire Moray

Highlands & Eilean Siar

Highland

SW Scotland, Lothian Borders

Dumfries and Galloway East Lothian Edinburgh Midlothian Council Scottish Borders West Lothian

Strathclyde

Argyll and Bute East Ayrshire East Dunbartonshire East Renfrewshire Glasgow Inverclyde North Ayrshire North Lanarkshire Renfrewshire South Ayrshire South Lanarkshire West Dunbartonshire

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